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Office Action Summary

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Applicant(s)

GLITHO ET AL.

Examiner

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Status

- 1) ☒ Responsive to communication(s) filed on 11 June 2004.
- 2a) ☐ This action is **FINAL**. 2b) ☒ This action is non-final.
- 3) ☐ Since this application is in condition for allowance except for formal matters, prosecution as to the merits is closed in accordance with the practice under *Ex parte Quayle*, 1935 C.D. 11, 453 O.G. 213.

Disposition of Claims

- 4) ☒ Claim(s) 1-22 is/are pending in the application.
- 4a) Of the above claim(s) _____ is/are withdrawn from consideration.
- 5) ☒ Claim(s) 11-15 is/are allowed.
- 6) ☒ Claim(s) 1, 5 and 16 is/are rejected.
- 7) ☒ Claim(s) 2-4, 6-10 and 17-22 is/are objected to.
- 8) ☐ Claim(s) _____ are subject to restriction and/or election requirement.

Application Papers

- 9) ☐ The specification is objected to by the Examiner.
- 10) ☐ The drawing(s) filed on _____ is/are: a) ☐ accepted or b) ☐ objected to by the Examiner.
Applicant may not request that any objection to the drawing(s) be held in abeyance. See 37 CFR 1.85(a).
Replacement drawing sheet(s) including the correction is required if the drawing(s) is objected to. See 37 CFR 1.121(d).
- 11) ☐ The oath or declaration is objected to by the Examiner. Note the attached Office Action or form PTO-152.

Priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119

- 12) ☐ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).
- a) ☐ All b) ☐ Some * c) ☐ None of:
- ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.
 - ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received in Application No. _____.
 - ☐ Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have been received in this National Stage application from the International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)).

* See the attached detailed Office action for a list of the certified copies not received.

Attachment(s)

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| 1) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Notice of References Cited (PTO-892) | 4) <input type="checkbox"/> Interview Summary (PTO-413)
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DETAILED ACTION

1. Claims 1-22 are pending in the application for examination.

Claim Rejections - 35 USC § 102

2. Claims 1, 5 and 16 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(e) as being anticipated by Gupta et al (US Pat No. 6,226,516), herein after referred as Gupta.

Regarding claim 1, Gupta teaches an Intelligent Network Service Control Point (IN-SCP) for providing services to users in a telecommunication network, said IN-SCP comprising:

at least one Call Processing Language (CPL) script that generates a call-control instruction when the script is executed (see col. 2, lns 7-12 and col. 4, lns 32-52); and

means for executing the CPL script (e.g., service logic) in response to receiving a service trigger for the script (see col. 2, lns 7-12 and col. 4, lns 32-52).

As to claims 5 and 16, they are rejected for the same reasons set forth to rejecting claim 1.

Allowable Subject Matter

3. Claims 11-15 are allowed.
4. Claims 2-4, 6-10 and 17-22 are objected to as being dependent upon a rejected base claim, but would be allowable if rewritten in independent form including all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims.

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Response to Arguments

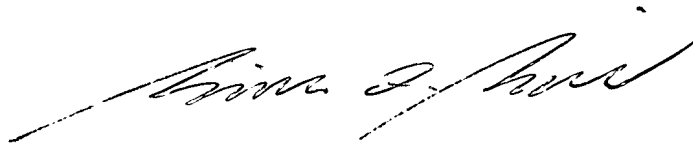
Applicant's arguments with respect to claims 1-8 and 16-17 have been considered but are moot in view of the new ground(s) of rejection.

5. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Bing Bui whose telephone number is (703) 308-5858. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday through Thursday from 7:30 to 5:00.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Ahmad Matar, can be reached on (703) 305-4731. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is (703) 872-9306 and for formal communications intended for entry (please label the response **EXPEDITED PROCEDURE**) or for informal or draft communications not intended for entry (please label the response **"PROPOSED"** or **"DRAFT"**).

Any inquiry of a general nature or relating to the status of this application or proceeding should be directed to the receptionist whose telephone number is (703) 305-4700.

Aug 14, 2004



**BING Q. BUI
PRIMARY EXAMINER**